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Petition to Revive Unintentional Abandoned Application under 37CFR 1.137 (B)

Re: U.S. Patent Application No. 10/516,668 National Phase of PCT/IL02/00976

Applicant and Inventor: Nir PADAN

**Invention: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ENHANCING THE FUEL STORAGE VOLUME
AND THE FUEL CARRIAGE CAPACITY OF EXTERNAL FUEL STORES CARRIED BY
AN AERIAL VEHICLE**

Filing Date: 4 December, 2002

Our Ref.: 4138/41

Dear Mr. BONZELL & Mr. DINH

In response to the Notice of Abandonment dated April 9th, 2010 we are hereby filing a Petition to Revive an Unintentional Abandoned Application with regards to the above mentioned US application No. 10/516,668.

Due to an unintentional mistake the due date for response to the United States Patent Office requirements was misunderstood and a timely & proper reply to the Office letter mailed 12 March 2010, was not filed.

As the above mentioned application is critical for the applicant's intellectual property and the mistake made was indeed unintentional and caused by a lack of sufficient attention to required response date, we kindly ask that our Petition be granted by the PTO and the application be revived. Attached is a response to the open office Action.

Please charge the fee for reviving an unintentionally abandoned application the sum of **\$810** (small entity rate) from our Deposit Account Number **50-4339**. Additionally, please charge the required extension fees and any other fees due to grant our petition

Please do not hesitate to contact us if there are any questions regarding the above.



Best Regards,

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